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INTERNET PROTOCOL CAPTIONED TELEPHONE SERVICE MODERNIZATION ORDER—EFFECTIVE DATE FOR RULES SUBJECT TO THE PAPERWORK REDUCTION ACT

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On June 8, 2018, the Federal Communications Commission (Commission) released a Report and Order, Declaratory Ruling, Further Notice of Proposed Rulemaking, and Notice of Inquiry, which, among other things, amends the Commission's rules to add two new cost reporting requirements for IP CTS providers.¹ These amendments resulted in modified information collection requirements under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995.² The effective date for these rules is based on publication in the *Federal Register* of a notice announcing approval by the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) of the modified information collection requirements. Such notice was published in the *Federal Register* on February 4, 2019, specifying that the rules are effective immediately.³

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¹ Misuse of Internet Protocol (IP) Captioned Telephone Service; Telecommunications Relay Services and Speech-to-Speech Services for Individuals with Hearing and Speech Disabilities, Report and Order, Declaratory Ruling, Further Notice of Proposed Rulemaking, and Notice of Inquiry, 33 FCC Rcd 6300 (2018). The amended rules are codified at 47 CFR § 64.604(c)(5)(iii)(D)(1), (6).

² Pub. L. No. 104-13, 109 Stat. 163 (1995) (codified at 44 U.S.C. §§ 3501-3520).

³ Federal Communications Commission, IP CTS Modernization and Reform, 84 Fed. Reg. 1409 (Feb. 4, 2019).